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Title: Electronic Text Reading Environment Enhancement Method  
and Apparatus  
Examiner/GAU: Cong-Lac Huynh/2176  
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**Amendment**

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In response to the non-final Office Action of 9/8/2004, the following amendments to the claims and remarks are submitted. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2, and general remarks begin on page 6.

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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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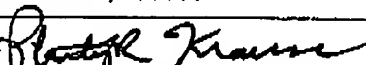
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